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PATENT  
Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 4676-186

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
Chikamasa Yamashita et al. ) Group Art Unit: To be Assigned  
Application No.: 10/538,781 ) Examiner: To be Assigned  
Filed: June 10, 2005 )  
For: Freeze-Dried Interferon-y ) Confirmation No.: To be Assigned  
Composition for Transpulmonary )  
Administration and Inhalation )  
System Therefor )

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Prior to the examination of the above application, please amend this application  
as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** follow the amendment section of this paper.